

State Highway Department report that 27 gravel roads are impassable today. The report says that the vehicles only will experience what every driver at the time should have known. The Southern state is in a predicament of a Northern winter and is ill-equipped to stand it.

In the winter's frozen condition the gravel roads are an unyielding mass of concrete. The icy pavement, despite the highway department's order sharply limiting the loads that heavy trucks may carry.

Water under a road in the event of a late freeze is one of the most destructive elements known to highway engineers. It depends on the contour of the highway, and the destruction is enhanced when the ice thaws, changing the contour a second time.

This winter's freeze is reported to have gone to a depth of 18 or 20 inches, comparable to a winter in the north where water pipes have to be buried 20 inches to be considered safe.

The freeze has penetrated below the gravel surface of secondary roads. During the late and early morning hours the ice is so hard that it is almost impossible to get through to the main roads. The gravel roads are in a predicament of a Northern winter and is ill-equipped to stand it.

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## Little Change in Weather in This Section

Weather in this section the past week can be summed up in the following manner—a day of rain, six inches of snow, a day and a half of sunshine and two full days of rain—prediction of continued rain, cold and snow Friday, to night and Friday.

The temperature here at 7 a.m. Wednesday morning was 17 degrees low, 47 high and .07 of inch of rain. This morning the reading for 47 high, 35 low and 1.47 inches of rain.

Perfectly all county roads are impassable—a solid mass of mud and water and sections of the State Highway gravel roads through the country are in the same shape.

According to Mr. Lon McLarty, February and especially the 12th day, makes weather history. He recalls Friday, Feb. 12, 1886 as the coldest in history—12 below zero, when children froze to the roost and you could cross the ice on foot.

In 1905 in which steel and cold damaged much timber in the state. Feb. 9 was actually the start with the "Cold Sunday." For the record the entire state was hit by snow and ice. Mr. McLarty recalls.

According to Experiment Station records 10 degrees is the coldest in history here but data is not recorded. The 20-year average on snowfall is 2.70 inches making 1938 one of the heaviest "snow years" on record.

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## Third Face in the Picture Represents Many

For the benefit of numerous persons that have called in regarding a picture published in the Star February 10, we will explain the picture.

The cartoon pictured three men—George Washington, born Feb. 22, 1732; Abraham Lincoln, born Feb. 12, 1809 and the third picture represents the Boy Scouts of America—February 8, 1910.

## Governors and Party Heads to Discuss Troubles

Little Rock, Feb. 12 — (UP) — Gov. Ben T.aney of Arkansas said today that he and four other southern governors planned to meet in Washington late this month with Democratic National Chairman J. Howard McGrath to thrash out southern objections to President Truman's civil rights program.

The five governors make up a committee named last weekend by the Southern Governors Conference at Wakulla Springs, Fla., to protest the president's call for anti-lynch, anti-poll tax and anti- Jim Crow laws.

Gov. J. Strom Thurmond of South Carolina, who introduced the resolution calling for a protest and a further meeting of southern governors on the matter, is chairman of the committee.

Laney said the meeting was arranged after a discussion between himself, Thurmond and Gov. Beauford Jester of Texas, another committee member.

Gov. Gregg Cherry of North Carolina and William H. Tuck of Virginia, the other committee members, would join the group in Washington.

Laney said the meeting with McGrath would "probably be a general discussion of the whole (civil rights) situation" and added that the committee's plans are still in the formative stages.

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## Twelve Year Old Bride



J. C. Barker, left, 44, husband of Betty Jo Bishop, 12, has been held in the Anniston, Alabama, jail since charges of perjury and conspiracy. The couple were married last week.

## Rotarians, Ladies Learn Moral Lesson

The annual Rotary Club banquet last night at 7 p.m. at Hotel Barlow almost turned into a farce, but before it ended 100 members and ladies left in a good mood with an impressive moral lesson.

"Never believe anything you hear and only half of what you see,"

All were convinced that Arthur F. Artz, Breeze of Hot Springs, speaker, is a past master of humor and proved his moral lesson.

Introduced as a substitute speaker the Hot Springs man posing as a British intelligence officer raked Americans over the coals with his witty, biting remarks and practically everything that makes a true American fighting mad.

By the time the audience was about ready to ride him out on a rail, the speaker took off his moustache and dropped his British accent and told the group to "believe nothing that you hear and only half of what you see."

During the ice ages, the North was all but empty and when the ice retreated, the Pacific Ocean was a fresh water lake.

## The Story of How Lincoln Gave a Watch to Missionary for Saving an American

By HAL BOYLE

New York — (AP) — Did you know how Abraham Lincoln gave a gold watch to a native missionary for saving an American? The gold watch was given to a native missionary for saving an American.

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This little-known story is better told in a book than in a newspaper. The book is "The Story of How Lincoln Gave a Watch to Missionary for Saving an American."

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## Greeks Parade Guerrillas That Shelled Salonika

Salonika, Feb. 12 — (UP) — The Greek Army returned triumphantly today with 121 captured guerrillas who shelled Salonika Tuesday, and in a carnival-like spectacle paraded them before howling Salonikians who jabbed them with sharp sticks and pelted them with unsavory missiles.

About half of this war-swollen city of 450,000 turned out and waited for hours for the Greek northern army's "victory parade" of captives who lobbed mortar shells into the heart of the city two days ago.

The shouting, cheering natives showered the sullen, bearded, weary captives with stale eggs, bottles and stones.

The jam became so great that the military parade could not pass down Thessaloniki street, as scheduled. It detoured two blocks to the waterfront drive, and received an equally enthusiastic reception there.

The spectacle was regarded as the Greek Army's bid to quiet public feeling over the shelling of Salonika, in which one Briton and several townspeople were killed and nearly a score were wounded.

From balconies of the officers' club on Tsimiski street I saw sticks, rolls of paper, bottles and other missiles hurled at the guerrillas, most of whom were too weary to defend themselves.

One guerrilla had a broken egg streaming down his forehead, which bore a fresh gash. Another was oozing blood where he had been jabbed with a stick.

To a man, they were sullen and morose. Most of them doubtless expected summary execution. They were worn out from three days of continuous fighting and campaigning.

Straggling along two or three miles behind the main force, they were a sorry sight.

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## 17 Believed Lost in Danish Plane Crash

Ulrichstein, Germany, Feb. 12 — (AP) — A Danish air liner crashed and burned here today, killing an estimated 17 persons. Ten others climbed alive from the wreckage. The plane was enroute from Copenhagen to Switzerland by way of Frankfurt. It lost altitude and crashed on a foggy hill about 30 miles from the U. S. Rhine-Main air base at Frankfurt.

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## Manufacturers, Retailers Join in Price Cutting

New York, Feb. 12 — (AP) — More retailers and manufacturers joined in the price cutting parade today in the United States, but in the world stock and grain markets trade markets traders mostly marked time.

London, Canadian and Australian stock dealers appeared jittery intent on guessing what the U. S. exchanges will do when they reopen tomorrow after the Lincoln Day holiday. Only in Singapore and Manila stock exchanges was a definite trend apparent. There prices went down sharply.

Winnipeg grain market the only exchange operating today, reported trading inactive and futures prices of oats and barley steady.

Livestock price trends varied widely. In Chicago hogs were actively sold at 40 cents, while 50 cents lower to 25 cents higher. Cattle prices were unchanged to 25 cents higher.

The three big U. S. soap manufacturers—Procter & Gamble, Lever Brothers, and Clorox—active in the soap market, reported prices 5 per cent. Fats and oils used in making soap have dropped recently.

More New York food retailers fell in line behind the big chain stores in price slashes.

One Bronx butcher lopped 10 cents a pound off pork chops and sold them at 40 cents. "Great big chains" slashes on meat cut averaged around 15 per cent.

Wholesale prices on hind quarters of beef dropped 4 cents a pound and an independent retailer observed, "It's been a long, long time since we've been begging you to buy choice beef."

Boston food prices dipped slightly. Cotton prices declined in the Alexandria cotton exchange with offerings high and demand small. Other cotton exchanges were closed.

In Washington, Senator Wherry of Nebraska, acting Republican leader in the Senate, said the State department should lower its estimates of the amount of money needed to aid Europe, now that commodity prices were lower.

The State department said it had been misled by those who used back into line with those used when the estimates were original.

Senator Taft (R-Ohio) said in St. Paul that the commodity break may have solved the problems of price wars. He said that if the price of wheat and other commodities at the parity level return for farmers.

Washington, Feb. 12 — (AP) — E. T. Maynard of Chicago will be asked to tell congressional investigators how he turned the grain market slump into a \$200,000-plus profit.

The only question today is which of three interested committees will get to him first.

The three are the Senate Agriculture Committee, the Senate Appropriations Subcommittee, and the House Agriculture Committee.

Secretary of Agriculture Anderson said yesterday Maynard made more than \$200,000 in wheat another \$40,000 to \$50,000 in cotton and an undetermined amount in oats.

Senator Knowland (R-Calif.), a member of the Senate Appropriations Subcommittee, told reporters: "I would advise you to keep in close touch with the committee next week." There were unconfirmed reports that the group would call Maynard in Monday.

Senator Young (R-ND), who is on the Agriculture committee, said he thinks all of Maynard's operations "must be investigated."

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Arkansas: Rain turning to snow and colder tonight. Occasional snow or snow Friday. Continued cold. Temperatures near 18° in north to 24° in south tonight.



## All Highways

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condition. Open to light traffic only.

Highway No. 53: Little Missouri River to Junction No. 53 and No. 24 and Junction No. 53 and No. 19 to Little Missouri River to Junction No. 53 and No. 24. Poor condition. Open to light traffic only. Junction No. 53 and No. 19 to Little Missouri River closed due to weather conditions.

Highway No. 55: Fulton to Mineral Springs—Fair condition.

Highway No. 67: Texarkana to Clark Co. Line—Heavy maintenance repairs in operation. Soft shoulders throughout the entire section due to freezing and thawing of weather conditions. Traffic should observe all traffic and warning signs. Construction operations through the city of Hope. Short detours maintained where necessary.

Highway No. 70: Oklahoma Line to Hot Springs Co. Line—Oklahoma line to Junction of Highway No. 70 and No. 71 East of DeQueen—Good. Junction of No. 71 and No. 70 East of DeQueen to Kirby—Poor condition. Open to light traffic only. Kirby to Hot Springs Co. Line—Good condition.

Highway No. 71: Louisiana Line to Polk Co. Line—Good condition except for soft shoulders due to weather conditions.

Highway No. 73: Junction No. 73 and No. 4 to Saratoga—Road closed. Poor condition.

Highway No. 78: Junction No. 78 and No. 19 to Junction No. 76 and No. 4—Poor condition. Not recommended for travel in wet weather.

Highway No. 82: Texarkana to Columbia Co. Line—Texarkana to Garland City—Under construction. All traffic detour via No. 87 to Hope. No. 29 to Lewisville. 22 mile detour for light traffic. is closed. Garland City to Columbia Co. Line—Good condition.

Highway No. 84: Kirby to Clark Co. Line—Poor condition. Open to light traffic only.

Highway No. 108: Junction No. 108 and No. 67 Paup's Spur to Junction No. 108 and No. 71 Index—Poor condition. Open to light traffic.

Highway No. 134: Junction No. 71 and No. 134 to Garland City—Road closed due to weather conditions.

Highway No. 160: Bradley to Spring Bank Ferry—Poor condition. Open to light traffic only.

## Holiday Forces

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before the British exchange closed for the day.

There were temporary rallies in the price of grain during the week, but they were short-lived.

The worst day of the week-long melee was Tuesday, when prices fell like ten pins. Stocks tumbled \$1 to \$3 a share Tuesday and sent the Associated Press average down to a new low since last June. Never before were so many issues traded on the New York Stock Exchange.

The back of inflation has been broken," said A. W. Zerkow, of New York, economic counselor and president of the International Statistical Bureau, a private organization. Many economists agreed.

Zerkow predicted that commodity prices would fall 20 to 25 percent within nine months. Most economists were chary, however, with any predictions for the future.

Secretary of Agriculture Anderson blamed mass speculation by small traders for the "boom and bust" commodity market.

A survey of AFL-CIO union leaders showed they generally regard current price declines as not enough to reduce their wage demands. A spokesman for the AFL Meat Cutters Union in Chicago said, however, the commodity slump "undoubtedly will" affect them.

Senator Lucas (D-Ill.) took the view that a protracted slump would cut national income and tax receipts. If the drop continued, he said, it might "eliminate all possibility" of income tax cuts this year.

But the housewife wasn't as interested in the reasons behind the slump as she was in its effects upon the prices at the corner grocery store.

She learned just last night that pork chops are as low as 39 cents a pound in Minneapolis. Durkee Famous Foods division of the Glidden Company announced a three-cent-a-pound cut to wholesalers in the price of margarine.

Shortening and starch were reduced in price yesterday. A chain store spokesman indicated last night that additional cuts were in the offing.

The American Meat Institute at Chicago said wholesale hams were down as much as 14 1/2 cents a pound from the January peak in many cities. Bacon, it said, has dropped from 51 to 39 cents a pound.

There was just a hint of a firming note among the markets as the week of price breaks ended.

Hogs were 50 cents to \$2 a hundred pounds higher at the close of the Chicago live market yesterday. But lamb prices sagged and beef cattle were mixed.

Wholesale meat and butter prices continued to slip.

Cotton at New Orleans where the market was closed on Tuesday, fell \$9.90 to \$13.10 a bale yesterday, but market observers considered at least part of the drop due to an adjustment with quotations at New York, where cotton ended \$1.65 a bale lower to 50 cents higher.

Statistics showed that market values dropped \$3,000,000,000 on the New York Stock Exchange since the close on Feb. 3. Stock prices on the average were the lowest since May 27.

## Our Best



Gretchen Merrill of Boston, five times U.S. ladies' senior figure skating champion, and Dick Button of Englewood, N.J., U.S. and North American titleholder, brush up at St. Moritz for Winter Olympics to be held there, Feb. 2-6.

## Market Report

## ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK

Natural Stockyards, Feb. 12 (AP) — (USDA) — Hogs, 5,000; fairly active, 25 to 75 higher than Wednesday's average; mostly 50 to 75 up; sows 25 to mostly 50 cents higher; bulk good and choice 180-250 lbs 22.25-24.00; top 24.00; 250-350 lbs 22.00-23.50; 300-350 lbs 19.25-22.00; 160-170 lbs 22.00-23.00; 130-150 lbs 18.50-22.00; largely 21.50 down; 100-120 lb pigs 12.50-18.00; sows 45 lbs down 18.00-75; over 45 lbs 17.50-18.00; stags 14.00-16.00.

Cattle, 1,500; calves, 600; opening trade mostly steady; few good mixed yearlings up to 25.00; medium kinds largely 18.00-22.00; common and medium beef cows 13.00-18.00; old head good around 19.00-20.00; canners and cutter largely 13.00-16.00; medium and good sausage bulls 20.00-22.00; vealers steady; good and choice 23.00-25.00; common and medium 15.00-23.00.

Sheep, 700 no early sales.

## Information on New Vegetables

Try a garden vegetable new to Hempstead County this year, suggests Mary Dixon, home demonstration agent.

"Your success and the cultural practices that make the venture successful will be of interest to others. Keep a record of the planting time, time of maturity yield and variety used. If all of this is reported to the county Extension office, it can be passed on to others in your community," she explains.

Those experienced in growing the more common vegetables should have no difficulty in growing a new type. Some vegetables are more difficult to produce than others, but there are several rather uncommon vegetables worth a trial. The experienced gardener should choose only one or two from the list given below, she states.

Some of the vegetables are suitable for the early spring garden and others for the fall and winter garden. The gardener should learn about the different varieties, the cultural requirements and the usefulness of the varieties chosen.

Suggested uncommon or seldom grown vegetables for the experienced gardener are as follows:

Vegetable Varieties, Days to Maturity, Notes, given in that order.

Broccoli, Green Sprouting, 63, Cabbage family; Brussels Sprouts, Early Prozer, 90, Cabbage family; Cauliflower, Early Snowball, 50, Cabbage family; Chinese Cabbage, Chihili, 70, extra early planting or for fall garden; Celery, Golden Self-blanching Golden Plume or Wonderful, 120, Start plants early in hotbed, or plant for November maturity; Eggplant, Black Beauty, 80, Start plants in hotbed; Endive, Green curled, 90, For salads; Kale, Dwarf Blue Scotch, 55, Non-heading variety of the cabbage family; Kohl Rabi, Early White Vienna, 55, An above ground sweet turnip-cabbage; Leek, Large London, Flag, 150, Onion-like for winter use in soups, etc.; Lettuce (head varieties), Bibb, 54, May King, 61, New York 515, 75—Start plants early, preferably in hotbed; Parsley, Hamburg (edible root), 90, Moss Curley, 70, For garnishing and salads; Spaghetti, Short Thick, 100, Hollow Crown, 125, Edible roots for winter storage; Rutabagas, American Yellow Purple Top, 90, Swedish turnip for winter garden; Salsify, Mammoth Sandwich Island, Vegetable Oyster-edible root; Squash, Many varieties, Control squash bugs with

Graubs eaten the week well below Feb. 3 prices.

May wheat closed yesterday at \$2.37 a bushel — 49 1/8 cents below the closing price on the last day before the break and 69 1/2 cents under the \$3.06 1/2 peak reached Jan. 16.

May corn ended yesterday at \$2.05 1/4 — 42 3/8 cents less than the price at the wind up of trading Feb. 3 and 65 1/5 cents below the Jan. 16 high.

## Governors

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party leaders." The Arkansas governor was quoted as saying:

"We will lay our cards on the table first and see if they intend to do anything about it. If he (McGrath) wants to run back and talk to Mr. Truman before giving us an answer, that's all right with me."

"If they decide not to do anything," Lancy said, "then we will take our strongest action."

Some southern governors have advocated withholding the Dixie electoral vote to force the nomination of a candidate other than Mr. Truman and have hinted that if it doesn't work a separate "Dixie convention" might be held to nominate a southerner.

The Commercial Appeal reported that the meeting would take place Feb. 22 at 23.

Under Thurmond's resolution, adopted by the conference without a dissenting vote, the committee would report back to the southern governors at another meeting to be held in the next 40 days.

The governors would decide then what concerted action they deem necessary to solve "problems arising in the South from the president's civil rights proposals."

A mass meeting of Mississippians was to be held in Jackson today to express opinion on Gov. Fielding L. Wright's proposal to hold back the South's electoral vote.

Sen. John Stennis, D. Miss., was to attend along with the membership of the state legislature. Mississippi's other U. S. senator, James O. Eastland, who first proposed the "withholding plan," could not attend because of illness.

Wright called the meeting and asked the organization of "every precinct in the state" to fight what he called Mr. Truman's "anti-southern" legislative endorsements.

Mississippians to Act

Jackson, Miss., Feb. 12 — (AP) — Mississippi Democrats will hold their first meeting today to map their strategy against the administration's civil rights program.

Announcement by Gov. Lancy of Arkansas that five members of the Southern Governors' conference would attempt to open out the differences with the Democratic high command haven't changed their plans a bit.

Gov. Fielding L. Wright, whose inaugural address attack on "anti-Southern" legislation touched off the revolt, said yesterday Lancy's plan punitive action against the not, he added, deny or cancel a scheduled Dixie wide meeting in Jackson sometime next month to

plan punitive action against the program.

Wright indicated he would ask the Mississippi Democrats today to agree to withhold their electoral votes from the democratic party unless they received assurances such legislation would be dropped by party leaders.

## Little Change

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Heavy sleet began falling in Fayetteville this morning making streets and highways dangerous.

C. C. White, Arkansas highway department maintenance engineer, said sleet, snow and freezing rain was reported general in that area, making highway travel in the Springfield and Harrison regions hazardous.

White also said the heavy rains had made additional highways of the state impassable and that more damage from icing was feared.

Rain fell in Little Rock throughout the night and this morning and the weather bureau expected it to turn into sleet later in the day.

The southern section of the state, hardest hit by the fast ice storm, reported general rains today.

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degrees in north Arkansas to 24 degrees in the south were predicted tonight.

Pan handle Hard Hit

Chicago, Feb. 12 — (AP) — Winter dealt a four-ply punch of cold snow sleet, and rain over a wide section of the country today — from the Rockies to the eastern seaboard.

The worst of the batch of bad weather hit the Kansas-Oklahoma-Texas panhandle, sections of the mountain states and the Gulf region. The north central area got more sub zero blasts — but a promise of moderating temperatures.

Freezing rain and snow was reported over sections of the eastern states but the cold wave in the New England region appeared ended. The mercury was below zero to day over most of Colorado, Montana, the Dakotas, Nebraska, Minnesota, Wisconsin, and parts of Iowa, and was near the zero mark in sections of Michigan, Illinois and Indiana.

Schools were closed and highways impassable in many areas of the panhandle region. In central and northern Kansas 101 schools closed to conserve gas supplies for home heating. In the Oklahoma panhandle school class were discontinued as the coldest weather of the winter season hit the area. Temperatures of zero to five below were forecast for tonight. Highway travel was nearly halted and scores of cars were

snowbound.

Rain was reported from Arkansas to Pennsylvania and eastward to the South Atlantic Coast. Rain over much of Tennessee melted remnants of Monday's snowfall but more snow was forecast. The heaviest fall—2.07 inches—was reported at Memphis. Birmingham, Ala., had rain for the seventh straight day and Atlanta, Ga., for the eighth consecutive day. Rain fell throughout Arkansas and Georgia and in parts of Louisiana.

## AUTO PRODUCTION

Detroit, Feb. 12 — (AP) — A further drop in motor vehicle output was reported today by the trade paper automotive news.

It estimated this week's United States output at 52,822 cars and 22,468 trucks, this compares with last week's revised estimate of 59,365 cars and 22,722 trucks. The decline was attributed to the continued shortage of industrial gas which has closed several automotive plants.

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**Personal Incomes Hit New Record**

Washington, Feb. 12 — (AP) — Personal incomes reached a record total of \$107,000,000,000 in 1947. This topped 1916, the previous record, by \$20,000,000,000.

Announcing the 1947 totals today, the Commerce Department said incomes, rising through the year, hit an annual rate of \$209,700,000,000 in December.

The December rise, compared to an annual rate of \$204,200,000,000 in November, was attributed chiefly to increased farm income. That fact made it appear that a drop will show up in personal incomes for early 1948 because of recent slumps in farm commodity prices.

Personal incomes include: Wage and salary receipts, which accounted for \$120,700,000,000 of the 1947 total, plus net incomes of business owners and partnerships, dividends and interests, net rents received by landlords, veterans benefits, relief payments, etc.

Annual rates, as used in the monthly figures, represent dollar totals for each month adjusted for seasonal influences and multiplied by twelve.

The Commerce Department noted that personal incomes moved up slowly during the first five months of 1947. They jumped sharply after that, as "second round" wage rate increases showed up in payrolls. Cashing of terminal leave bonds and an increase in business owners' income also contributed.

**Aged Smithville Doctor Dies Suddenly**

Smithville, Feb. 12 — (AP) — Dr. Thomas C. Guthrie, 67 died at his home here yesterday. He had practiced in this community for more than 40 years.

Dr. Guthrie also had been active in the Masonic lodge and as a breeder of Angus cattle.

The widow, two sons, his father and two brothers survive. Funeral plans have not been completed.

Sabadilla: Sweet corn (new hybrid) Illinois Golden No. 10, 30, Iowa, 35, Golden Cross Bantam, Mincross (early), 76, Greater relative improvement than for hybrid field corns; Swiss Chard, Lucullus, 55, A green of the best family.

Peas: Perennial or Permanent Vegetables: Asparagus, Martha Washington, For early spring vegetable; Rhubarb, Victoria, Rhubarb previously recommended for upland areas only.

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# Social and Personal

Phone 768 Between 9 A. M. and 4 P. M.

## Social Calendar

**Friday, February 13**  
Members of the Hope Country Club will hold a dance at the club Friday evening from eight until twelve o'clock for members only. Music will be furnished by Stoney's Band.

**Friday, February 13**  
The Young People's Department and B.T.U. of the First Baptist Church will be entertained with a Valentine Party Friday evening at eight o'clock at Educational building. All members are urged to attend.

**Saturday, February 14**  
The Junior Music Club will meet at ten o'clock Saturday morning at the home of Sarah Lauderbach with Marilyn Shiver and Ann Barr as associate hostesses.

**Sunday, February 15**  
The fourth of a series of lectures on Ten Thousand Years of Methodism and the First Century in China will be discussed at the Vesper service hour at the First Methodist church by Royce Weisburger, Rev. E. Brown, Teddy Jones and Lawrence Martin. You are cordially invited to attend.

**World Day of Prayer**  
Service to be held Friday

The World Day of Prayer will be observed on Friday, February 13, with a program to be held in the First Christian Church beginning at 2 p.m. The program has been planned to be one of worship and inspiration with the theme of "practicing brotherhood now". The program is as follows:

Organ Prelude  
Call to Worship  
Meditation  
Liturgy  
Solo by Mrs. Tully Henry  
Introduction of Speaker: Rev. Wm. E. Hardegree  
Message: Rev. Clayton P. Shepard, State Pastor, Evangelist for the Christian Church  
Offering  
Benediction  
Organ Postlude

This service is under the sponsorship of the Hope Council of Church Women, and it is hoped that every church woman will attend. Mrs. J. E. Cooper is president of this local Council.

**Jett B. Graves Class**  
Wednesday Night  
Members of the Jett B. Graves Sunday School class of the First Methodist church were entertained with a dinner meeting at the church recreational rooms on Wednesday evening. Hostesses were: Mrs. D. D. Laidbach, Mrs. Lyron Andrea, Mrs. Ross Bright, Miss Clarice Cannon, Mrs. Ben Edmiston, Mrs. Corbin Foster, Mrs. J. W. Hall, Mrs. Faye James and Mrs. C. C. Kimberly.

The Valentine motif was carried out in the table decorations. The long white damask covered tables were adorned with arrangements of Red Roses in white holders and was lighted with red tapers.

Following the dinner games and contests were enjoyed.

**Coming and Going**  
Mr. and Mrs. Faye James and Children, Loretta and Kirk and Don Duffie spent last week and visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jobe at Norman, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Hollis Luck and Mrs. Lloyd Kinard will go to Little Rock today to see Oklahoma at Robison Auditorium there.

**Hospital Notes**

Branch  
Discharged:  
Linden Lee, Hope.  
Julia Chester

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**Discharged:**  
Mrs. Dale Wilson, Hope.  
H. B. Anderson, Bossier City, Louisiana.

**Admitted:**  
Mrs. W. H. Applegate, McNab.  
Ferberon Brasley, Hope.  
**Discharged:**  
John Gunter, Atlanta, Texas.  
Mrs. J. L. Pittman, Lewisville.

## Snowslide Derails Train, All Escape

Alamosa, Colo., Feb. 12 — (P)—A thundering snowslide swept three tiny cars on a mountain railway into a precipitous gorge last night but all 40 occupants miraculously escaped death.

Two of the persons escaped without any injury. Two men and three women were hospitalized. The others were treated for minor injuries and released.

The narrow gauge Denver and Rio Grande Western train makes a daily round trip from Alamosa to Jurango and return. It was 50 miles from here at Totee gorge in the Cumbres mountains when the slide struck without warning.

The two engines needed to pull it up the winding roadbed, a baggage car and an express car were safely past the danger point when the avalanche — 100 feet wide and 10 feet deep, struck.

The impact cut loose the last three cars — two chair cars and a coal car — and they rolled down the snow-covered roadbed. They went under and ahead of them providing a cushion that somehow held the cars upright.

Some 400 feet down the 40-degree slope, the first car smashed against a tree, came to a halt and a few yards before the lip of the gorge broke into a cliff dropping another 500 feet. The second coach dropped after 300 feet and the parlor car came to a halt 30 feet from the track.

Most seriously injured was Brakeman George Atwood of Alamosa, who was taken to the Rio Grande hospital at Salida, Colo., with chest injuries.

The shaken passengers were brought to Alamosa, fifty miles northeast of the scene of the snowslide early today by a rescue train that took four hours to negotiate the 100 mile route.

Temperatures in the mountain area around Alamosa dropped to 30 below zero during rescue operations.

The only route to the wreck scene, high in the Cumbres mountains near the Colorado-New Mexico border, 50 miles southwest of here was over the winding, breath-taking roadbed.

The five-car train was being pulled over its tortuous route by two engines when the snow avalanche slammed into it about 3 p.m. (MST) two passenger cars — and the size of standard railway equipment — were hurled at least 500 feet down the canyon. The observation car tumbled about 75 feet. The engines, baggage and mail cars remained upright.

"It's a miracle and cars didn't plunge to the bottom of the canyon," said a railroad official in Denver who knows the area. The Los Pinos river running at the base of the chasm is at least 700 feet below where the cars stopped.

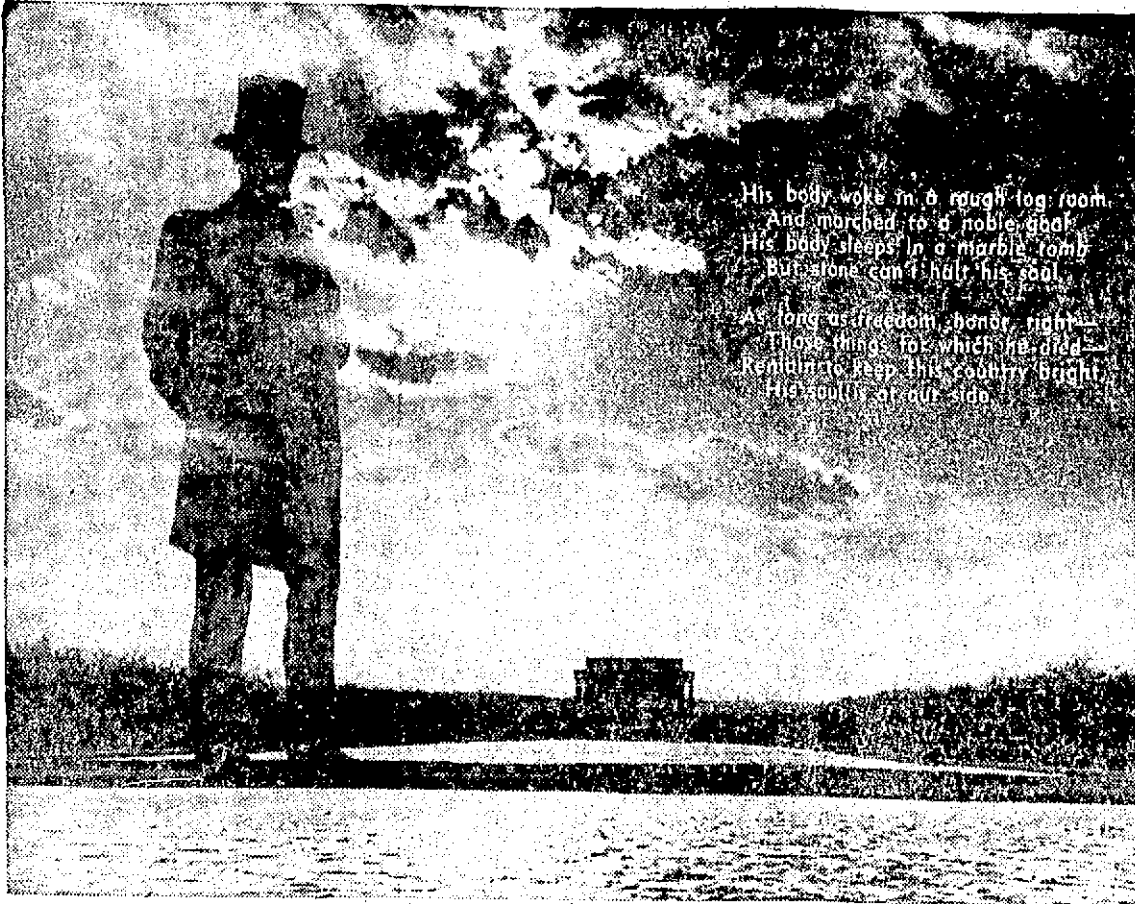
Conductor Morgan, uncoupled one of the locomotives, rode on it to a nearby way station where he telegraphed to Alamosa for help. His report of the accident was scanty as he didn't stop to examine all the injured passengers.

Dodge said section hands crews Sablette and Osier, way stations, were dispatched immediately and probably succeeded in extricating the passengers before arrival of the relief train. They could be cared for temporarily in the upright baggage and mail cars, Dodge said.

The passenger train was on its daily 200 miles run between Alamosa and Durango, Colo.

**Now Is Time to Plan Your Garden**  
It's Time To—  
Make a "To Scale" drawing of your garden area. List all the vegetables you plan to plant. Add one new variety to the list.  
Plan the exact location in the garden for each vegetable listed. Indicate the number of rows and fractions of rows and the drawing will show you the number of linear feet resulting.  
Make plans for seeding grass waterways where water runs.  
February is perhaps the most favorable month for transplanting trees or shrubs in Arkansas. Early planted trees and shrubs become established in their new location before the summer drought. Plant carefully and early.  
Prune the following shrubs: hydrangeas, beauty bush, bush honeysuckle, shrub althea, vitex, spirea, anthurus, waterer, spirea, crepe myrtle, desmodium, and other late summer or fall blooming shrubs.  
Keep some leaves or straw handy for covering some plants in the event of a sudden cold spell.  
Many tender annual plants may be started in the heated or indoor boxes at once.  
If you haven't already obtained your lespedeza seed, don't delay any longer.  
The first essential in curing pork at home is the thorough chilling of the fresh pork to temperatures of 36 to 40 degrees.  
Plan summer supplemental pastures. Secure sweet Sudan grass seed and lespedeza seed for this purpose. Don't delay obtaining lespedeza seed as it is scarce and the price is going up.  
Study the analysis tag on all

## Let's Keep His Spirit With Us



## OFFICE Nurse

By Adelaide Humphries  
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Janice's new visitor stopped short at sight of her, standing still to stare, without saying anything. "Aren't you even going to say hello?" Janice asked. Her heart was thudding so loudly beneath the lovely bed jacket that she was sure the sound of it filled the quiet room.

"Hello," Ben said. His voice sounded queer as though it had a difficult time getting through his windpipe.

"Hello, yourself," Janice returned. "You—you look swell," he said, still standing and staring.

"Thank you," Janice smiled on him. "Won't you come in and sit down?"

He came in and sat down, rather stiffly, on a chair. She had never known Ben to be tongue-tied before. Probably it was because most men were uneasy in a room where someone was ill.

"Aren't my flowers lovely?" Janice tried to put him at ease. "Thank you so much, Ben, for the ones you sent." She did not know which ones were his, but she knew he had sent some of them.

He seemed to be looking at the largest bouquet, a white vase filled with crimson roses with stems that must have been three feet long.

But Ben had not sent those. They had come at superlunary, between Janice's afternoon visitor and her present one. There had been a card with them. It had read:

"I am sorry I don't want to see me but I do not blame you. My sweet, I shall always feel for you what these red roses signify. Be happy, Janice. Ever yours, Eric."

The roses would fade and die, and Eric would forget that he had loved her, Janice knew. But while they lasted, they were very beautiful.

"Are you—really okay?" Ben asked, still through that clogged windpipe.

"I'm fine," Janice said. "Just fine." Saying it, she found that she was. She was happy, not sad.

"If you weren't," Ben said, "I'd never have forgiven myself. I told you that day when you wanted to go with me to find Edna Mae. I was afraid that fellow McRae would make trouble."

"I guess he blamed me because Eileen left him and he hadn't been able to find out where she had gone," Janice said. "And, of course, he thought I had practically kidnapped his little girl."

"He might have killed you!" Ben growled. "And your father tell me you aren't going to let them prosecute him?"

"Why should? The poor man is sick; he needs treatment, not punishment, and I'm going to see that someone helps him."

Ben just grunted at this. "I suppose," he said "your doctor will do it for you."

"You mean Dr. Richards?" Janice asked. Her eyes held a shade of mischief.

"You know who I mean," Ben looked glum. "I suppose," he added, "he's been here every day."

"Dr. Richards?"  
"No, Dr. Holbrook."  
"I haven't seen Dr. Holbrook," Janice said. "Mrs. Holbrook was here."

"Mrs. Holbrook! What did she want?"  
"She wanted to give me her husband."

## Armed Arabs Getting Into Palestine

Editor's note — Arabs are pouring across the frontier between Palestine and the Levant in increasing numbers, a United Press correspondent on the scene reports. Here is his account of what he saw.

By SAM SOUKI

On North Palestine Frontier, Feb. 12 — (UP) — Hundreds of Arabs, their rifles slung loosely in their crooked arms, are pouring into Palestine before my eyes.

Hundreds more crossed the border from Syria and Lebanon in the last 48 hours.

These men here tell me that there are at least 7,000 of their fellows already inside Palestine.

There is evidence that these men are preparing for a major operation against the Jews.

They wear khaki uniforms. They cross the border as easily as you cross a quiet street.

Right over there is a mountain village, somewhere in the Levant, from which Palestine is just a walk over the hilltop. And this is only one of the points where the Arabs are moving into Palestine as the time approaches for the withdrawal of the British and the imposition of the United Nations' partition mandate.

I arrived by jeep after a back-breaking trip of many weary hours over muddy, mountain tracks.

It is a scene of tremendous activity. Armed Arabs hustle back and forth from the market place in the village, unloading trucks.

When I pulled up in the village a crowd gathered around. One man, acting as spokesman, demanded identification papers. I relaxed when I showed him my credentials.

Then I watched the men unload a cargo of rifles which were handed down from a truck to the "mohaddeen" — the fighters of the Jihad or Holy war for which the Arab spiritual leaders called when the UN decision to partition Palestine was announced.

The man directing them spoke to me: "You come upon one of our concentration camps. From here, we cross into Palestine, just over the hilltop. There we disperse to previously assigned positions."

"This village is our storehouse for food. The trucks have brought rifles and ammunition. They go mainly to Palestine Arabs in the area."

"But we are well equipped. And we are ready to get started," he said, self-appointed guide gestured.

"Over there are the Zionist settlements. At different places along the border the British increased the units—armored cars, and airborne soldiers and gren gun carriers."

"But the Palestine border is big and there always are places we can slip through in large numbers. The Arab fighters in the hills sometimes swoop down on the Jews. Two days ago a small force of a Jewish supply column heading for the settlements in northern Palestine and killed two Jews."

"The Zionists retaliated," my guide related. "They attacked an Arab village and burned two houses. They saw a Lebanese Arab sowing in his field just across the border, and they crossed and captured him. They dragged him to the settlement of Manara and put two bullets through his head. Then they threw him into the field. That night the Arabs found him."

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## DOROTHY DIX Fallacy of Marriage

### Singing Sunday at Garrett Memorial Church

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### DDT Sure Cure for Bedbugs Says Agent

Bedbugs can easily be controlled with DDT, says Mary Dixon, home demonstration agent. One treatment is usually enough to rid a bed of bugs. Bedbugs may be hiding in the wall, but when they come out and get on the bed, they will be killed.

The spray mixture may be applied with a sprayer or with a paint brush or small mop, she states. Light oil solutions containing 5 per cent DDT may be purchased or the spray mixture may be made by mixing DDT wettable powder or DDT emulsion with water to make a 5 per cent mixture.

In treating a bed the first step is to strip off the bed clothes, brush and air, or better yet, launder them. The next step is to spray or mop the top and sides of the mattress. Then turn it over onto the floor and spray the springs and take them off the bed.

The last step is to treat the bedstead, especially the inside, paying particular attention to cracks and crevices.

He still was alive. They brought him out. "It's small now, but it won't be long before we can really swing into action."

Practically every young couple who gets married is firmly convinced that marriage is going to be a perpetual honeymoon. They know that other husbands and wives get on each other's nerves at times, and have spats, and fights and arguments, and that many a bride goes to bed in tears after what John has said about her haircut, and that many a John wonders what made him pick out a little nincompoop, who can't even add up the grocery bill for a wife. They also are aware that one marriage out of every three goes on the rocks and that, anyway you look at it, marriage is a hazardous undertaking.

But not for them. It can't happen to them. Their marriage will be all sweetness and light and billing and cooing, with never a harsh word nor a cross look. And that, when you come down to brass tacks, is what's the matter with marriage. It is because the optimistic youngsters are so sure that their marriage is going to be a great success that they take no steps to keep it from being a failure.

In vain does Mother, who has cut her wisdom teeth on Father's little peculiarities, try to give daughter a few tips on how to smooth her husband's fur the right way. Daughter feels that she doesn't need them because she is so certain that her husband will always purr under her hand.

She can't imagine a time ever coming when her John will cease to be a great lover and become just a mere husband who takes her for granted and brings home beef steaks instead of orchids, and who doesn't feel that he is called upon to tell her how much he loves her when he is providing it by his actions.

Most wives find that their roles have been shifted from lady love to cook, and some it makes bitter and resentful and whining and complaining, and some it makes wise to the fact that the way to retain a husband's affection is to keep him well fed and comfortable.

It is natural enough for a girl who has been through a high-pressure courtship to expect it to continue in full force after marriage. Of course, she has seen other men drop their love-making like it was a hot potato as soon as they are home from their wedding tour, but it knocks her for a goal when it happens to her. She thought it was going to be the one shining exception to the rule that men don't chase the bus after they have caught it.

Then there is the temperament, both male and female, that lovers never take into consideration before marriage, but that looms the biggest and most menacing thing in their lives after marriage. No matter how infatuated the young couple may be with each other, no matter if they belong to the same class, and have the same amount of education, no matter how good and kind and worthy they are, if they don't laugh at the same jokes, read the same books, like the same kind of food, they will never be happy together. Each expects the other to change into the sort of wife the man wanted, or the kind of woman who was the woman's heart's desire, and when they don't, because they can't, another marriage goes into the discard.

Nothing is more tragic than that so many marriages that are entered into with such high hopes, and great expectations of happiness, fail and the pitiful part of it is that they fail because neither men nor women realize that the disasters that wreck so many other marriages CAN happen to them.

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## Recovery Boss Should Be All Powerful

Washington, Feb. 11—(AP)—A European recovery boss who won't have to take orders from the State Department appears a certainty today.

The Senate Foreign Relations Committee agreed unanimously last night to create a \$20,000-a-year independent Marshall plan administrator.

He would rank equally with the secretary of state and other cabinet members and any dispute would be settled by the president. The administrator would be advised by a 12-member board of private citizens and would report to a 14-member congressional "watch-dog" committee.

A roving ambassador and special missions abroad would help keep tabs on how Europe uses the American help.

Chairman Vandenberg (R-Mich.) said the administrative plan was agreed to without dissent by the committee. He added that if the State Department has any objections, he hadn't heard them.

The State Department proposed originally that it be given full say over the recovery program. This encountered strong congressional opposition.

Senator Wherry (Nebr.), acting Senate Republican leader, described the new plan as "very much improved." But he promised a fight over defining the exact powers of the administrator.

Wherry is chairman of a 20-member Senate Republican group which wants to make many changes in the multi-billion dollar Marshall plan. He said the present bill doesn't go far enough in saying what the administrator can and cannot do.

There were hints from the House side of the capital, too, that the Senate plan won't satisfy all critics there.

Rep. Hester (R-Mass.), chairman of a special House Committee on Foreign Aid, told a news conference that all assistance programs could be placed under a single administrator. The Senate bill deals only with European aid which 16 western European nations have asked for on a self-help basis.

Hester noted that the government has announced plans to help China and is considering additional military assistance for Greece and Turkey on top of the Marshall plan and its programs for other areas. He said "intelligent pro-

## Buick Cars Have a Long Life

Flint, Mich.—Nearly 97 per cent of the Buick automobiles produced and sold in the United States during the last 10 years are still in operation, a tabulation of registration figures disclosed today.

The survey, completed recently by Buick Motor Division analysts, showed that of the 1,475,483 cars produced in the last 10 years, 1,424,999 or 96.6 per cent are still in operation, according to registration figures received from each of the 48 states.

Harlow H. Curtice, Buick general manager, disclosed there were 1,328,619 Buicks registered in the United States last year, of which nearly 50,000 were at least 18 years old. Buick has produced more than 4,000,000 cars in its 45-year history.

Curtice said the tabulation of automobile registrations has indicated that Buick ownership has reached "the highest level in history."

"These figures represent forceful proof of the high quality and skill of Buick manufacturing, engineering and research," he said. "They also show that Buick owners have a genuine pride of ownership in the cars we have built for them over the years."

The percentage of Buick cars produced and sold domestically since 1938 and still in operation included: 1938 models, 92.4 per cent; 1939 models, 93.8 per cent; 1940 models, 97.2 per cent; 1941 models, 96.9 per cent; 1942 models, 95.8 per cent; and 1946 models, 97.8 per cent.

Percentage figures prior to 1938 included: 1937 models, 90.7 per cent; 1936, 81.9 per cent; 1935, 79 per cent; 1934, 49.3 per cent and 1933, 40.1 per cent.

A large percentage of the non-registration of cars in the last 10 years was believed due to severe damage of many cars in highway collisions.

Because glacial action has been the chief agency in lake formation, a major portion of the world's lakes are in the north latitudes.

Greek legend supposed that the horns of the goat that suckled the god Zeus were the horns of plenty.

gramming" requires that all phases of foreign relief be taken into consideration.

## British Leader Bevin Is Threatened

London, Feb. 11—(UP)—A foreign office spokesman said today that security arrangements for the protection of Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin had been "tightened" following an anonymous telephone warning received by the British embassy in Paris.

"The caller said Mr. Bevin was in grave danger," the spokesman said.

It added that Bevin was accompanied by the "usual" Scotland yard security guards when he appeared last night at a dinner given by the Anglo-Egyptian Society.

## Thawing Pipes Is Fire Hazard

Carelessness in thawing pipes many times results in fires with loss of property and sometimes life. Carelessness often causes burst pipes, with resulting damage to property and inconvenience to the family through water soaked floors, rugs or carpets.

The home demonstration agent says when water pipes are frozen, remember to:

1. Leave the faucets open.
2. Wrap cloths around the pipes and pour hot water on them if they can be reached easily and if the area near the pipes will not be damaged by water. Pour more hot water from time to time as needed.
3. Place heated bricks on pipes, if the surroundings would be damaged by water. As the bricks cool replace them with other hot bricks.
4. Begin at the frozen point nearest the faucet.
5. Place a barrel over a frozen yard hydrant to protect it, if it must wait for a natural thaw.

"Better still than thawing pipes," says Mary Dixon, "is preventing them from freezing." To prevent freezing, she recommends:

1. Placing pipes in the ground below the natural freezing depth for the area.
2. Insulating pipes from the ground to the house with frost-proof jackets.
3. Underpinning the house, allowing one square foot of ventilation space for each linear foot of underpinning.
4. Closing ventilators in the underpinning during December, January, and February.
5. Leaving the faucet slightly open allowing water to drip if it is from an unprotected pipe in an outside wall.

**Motion Picture  
Writer Dies  
in California**

Beverly Hills, Calif., Feb. 11—(AP)—Stephen Morehouse Avery, 55, prominent fictionist and motion picture writer, died unexpectedly at his home here last night of an apparent heart attack.

A prolific writer of short stories, Avery came to Hollywood about 12 years ago and was connected with several major studios, including Warner Brothers.

He was born in 1893 in Webster Grove, Mo., and was educated at the University of Missouri. Among his screen plays were "Wharf Angel," "Our Little Girl," "The Gay Deception," "Annapolis," "Farewell," "One Rainy Afternoon," "The Gorgeous Hussy," "My Mothers" and "The Male Animal."

The island of Trinidad in the West Indies is a little smaller than Delaware.

## Gandhi's Ashes Scattered Into Sacred Rivers

Allahabad, India, Feb. 12—(AP)—The mortal remains of Mohandas K. Gandhi, the beloved man who ranks almost as a saint in this land, were immersed in the waters of three sacred Hindu rivers here today.

Tens of thousands of persons witnessed the ceremony, which took place just after 12 p.m. at the confluence of the Ganges, Jamna and Saraswati rivers. Among the witnesses was the prime minister of India, Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru.

Others who watched included members of the central government, the governor of the United Provinces, and ministers of the local government.

The special train carrying Gandhi's ashes arrived at Allahabad station at 9 a. m. Nehru, who arrived in Allahabad by airplane yesterday, was at the station to greet the train of third-class coaches bearing the funeral urn.

A guard of honor escorted the urn to Triveni Sangham, confluence of the three rivers, for the final ceremony.

The urn was carried from the station and placed on a trailer. To the accompaniment of a booming salute of cannon shots—one for each year of Gandhi's 74—and the sounding on conch horns, the procession started.

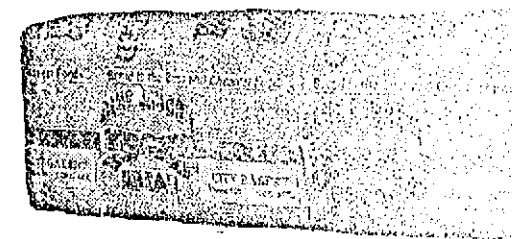
A great hush fell over the crowd as the military escort moved on, preceding a squadron of military police.

A quarter of a mile from the station the procession passed the Anglican Cathedral of All-Saints, where the cottage paused briefly while the crowd before it sang Gandhi's favorite hymn. "Lead, Kindly Light."

The procession then went along Canning road, the main thoroughfare of Allahabad, on its way to Triveni Sangham. It passed a long narrow, white, sandy area, which the crowd before it sang Gandhi's favorite hymn. "Lead, Kindly Light."

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**Mysterious Shooting**  
Rogers, Ark., Feb. 11—(AP)—  
mysterious shooting of Ray  
L. Stroud, 52, a war veteran,  
being investigated by officer

Investigators said the left side of Stroud's face was torn away by a charge of a .20 gauge shotgun.

was at his home, and other members of the family were absent.

Pork Chops	lb. 37c	Soft Bacon Center Cuts	lb. 49c
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Pork Sausage	lb. 45c	Brick Chili	lb. 45c







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By Galbraith

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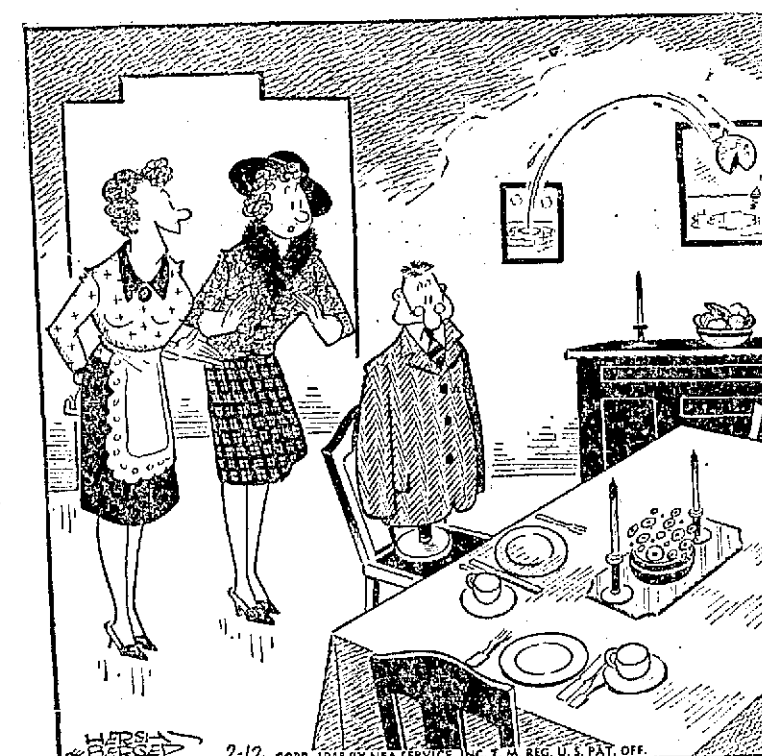
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"Yes, you predicted the 1929 depression, but you should have quit then—you're still predicting crashes and history proves you can't miss if you keep it up long enough!"

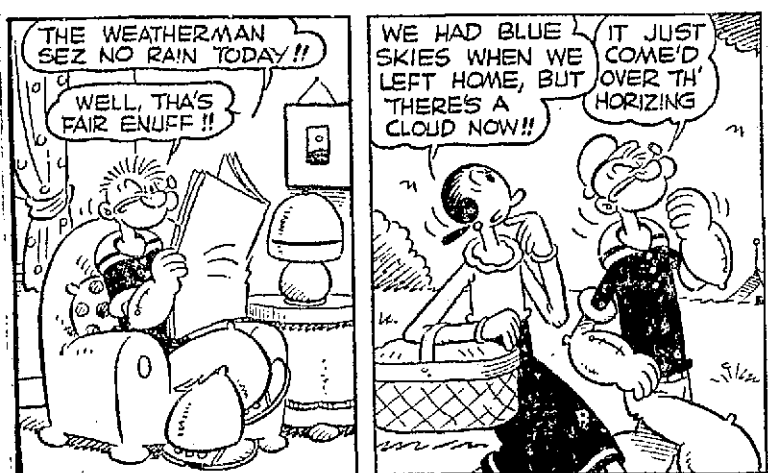
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By Hershberger



"My husband's seldom home for dinner, so I had a wax dummy made of him!"

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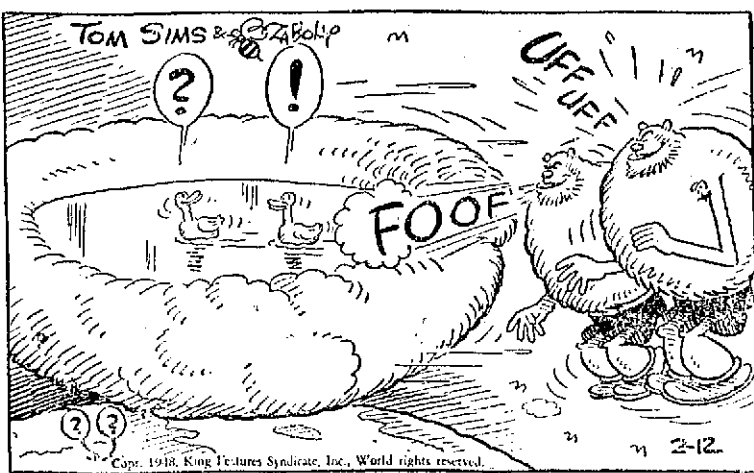
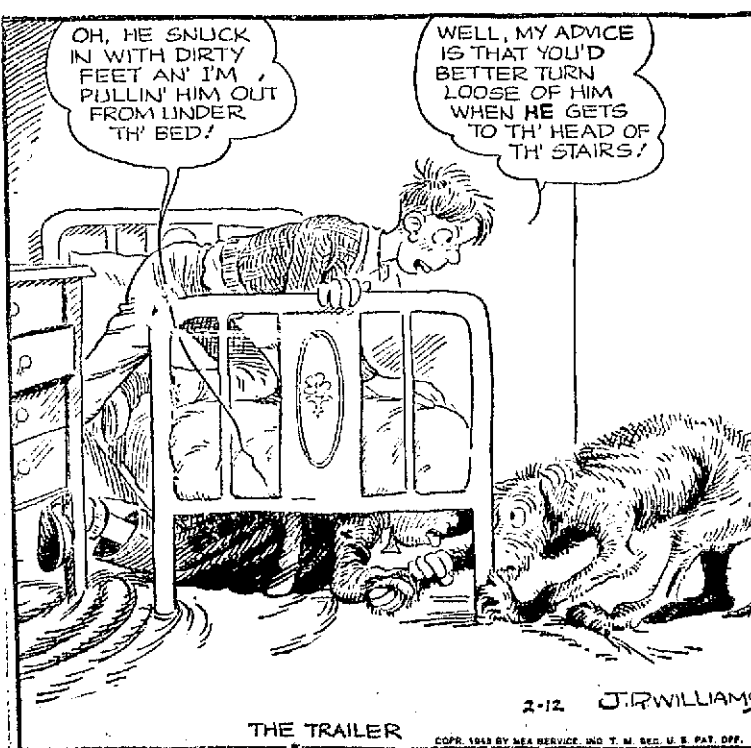


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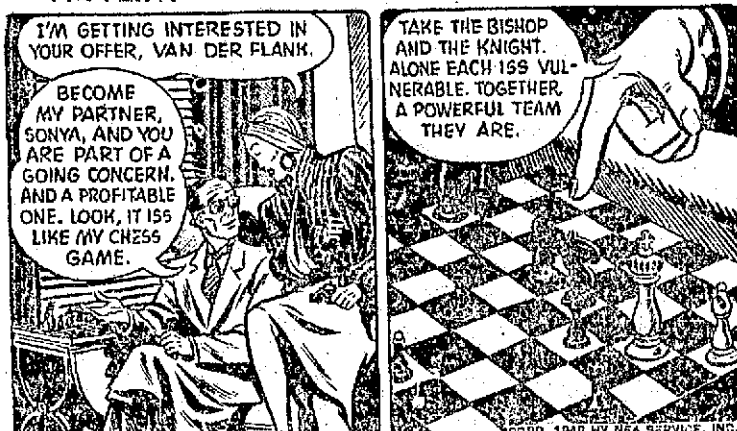


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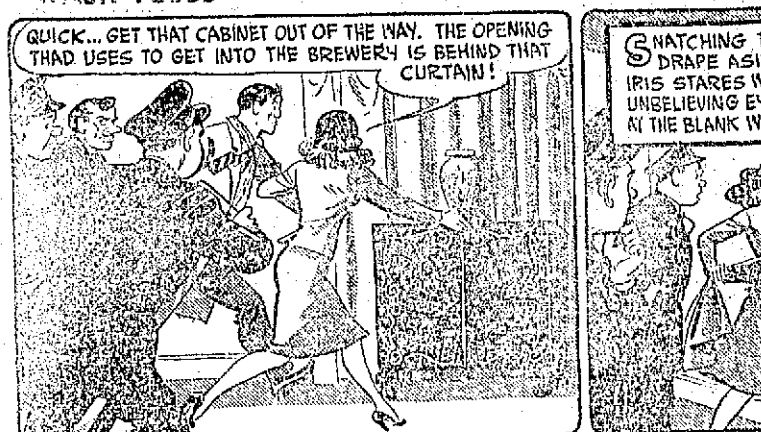
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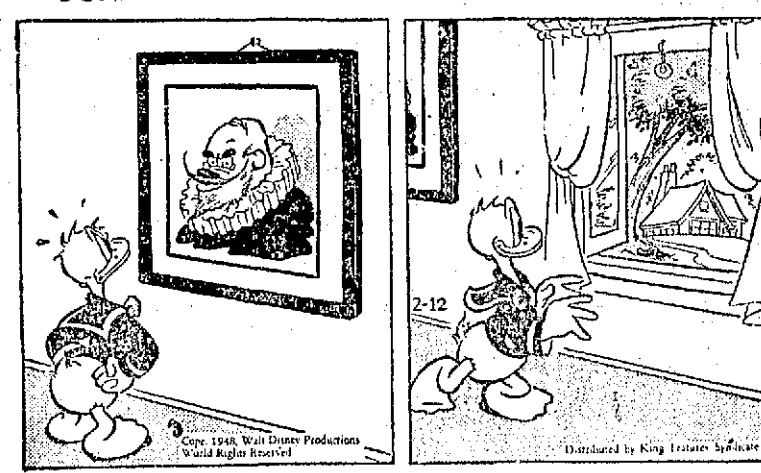
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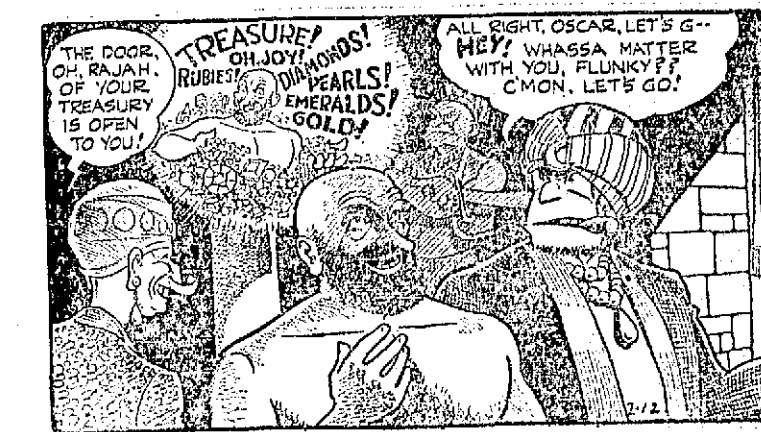
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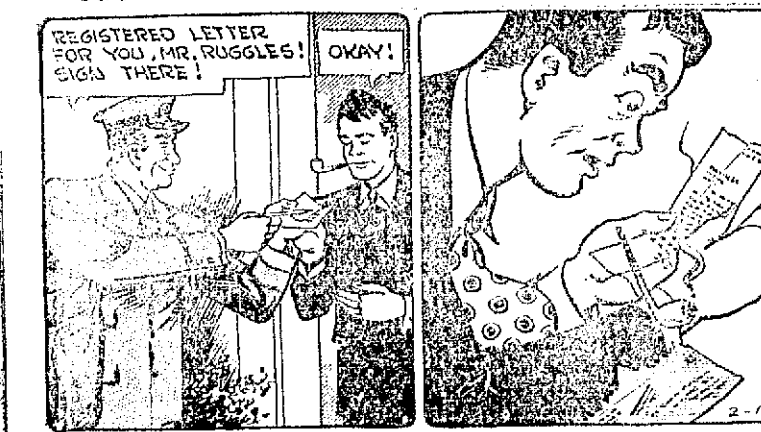
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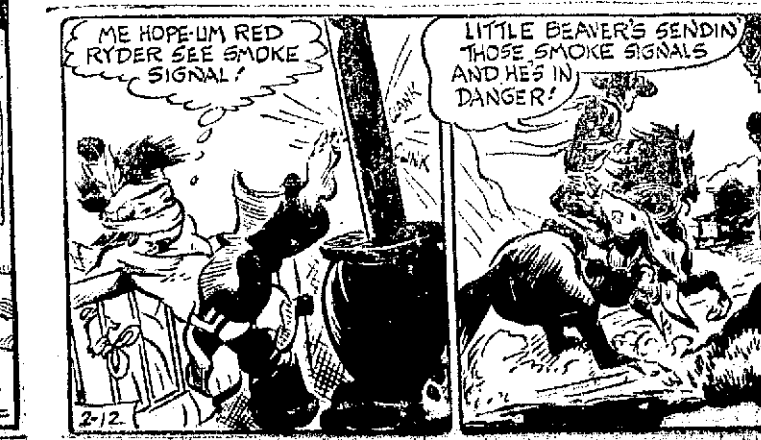
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